CHINESE TOWNS TAKEN BY REBELS

Revolutionaries Victorious in Fight With Imperial Troops.

WILDEST RUMORS IN CIRCULATION

Financial Situation Eased, by Deposit of Government Funds. War Vessels Said to Be Short of Ammunition-Martial Spirit of Imperialists Exceedingly Low.

Shanghai, October 22 .- The British consul here is in receipt of a telegram by way of Kingkang, from the consul at Hankow, stating that news has been received that Chang-Sha, in Hu-Nan province, and I-Chang, in Hu-Peh province, are in the hands of the rebels. At the latter place 15,000 coolies have made a demand for their wages in silver, which cannot be ob-tained.

The first field gun was posted on the embankment, and the cruisers withdrew to the Seven Mile Creek. The rebels shelled the North Chinese town, and continued to advance, and the cruisers retired around the bend of the river. The marching army men no further opposition. The advance guard in coole garb, carried away the abandoned imperialist tents. At 5:30 o'clock in the evening the rebels returned to Hankow, having in their possession many captured tents and much ammunition and rice.

There is no telegraphic communication from Shanghai in the direction of Hankow, beyond Kiukiang, except the wireless of the ships, which is not available for public use. The wildest rumors are being printed in the native newspapers, but in the absence of efficient telegraph service it is not possible to verify these. The imperial government has sent \$1,000,000 for deposit in the native banks, which has materially eased the financial situation. It is said that Admiral Sah's ships are dangerously short of ammunition. Late reports from reliable sources say that fighting is now going on at Nanking and Nanchang.

Asks Japan for Aid.

Tokio, October 22.—Reliable private reports confirm the news that the revolutionaries were victorious in their engagement with the imperial troops at Hankow. The martial spirit of the imperialists is said to be exceedingly low.

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The Peking government and General Chao-Erh-Hsun, Viceroy of Manchuria, have made separate applications to the Yokohama specie bank for a loan of zeveral million yen. It is understood that both applications have practically been compiled with, although the exact amounts and the terms of the loans have not yet been made public.

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Washington, October 22.—Low temperatures will prevail over practically the entire country this week, according to a builetin issued by the Wenther Bureau to-night. Fronts are predicted for the interior of the Gulf States and the Ohio Valley, and there is a probability of snow in the Great Lake region.

"There are no indications at the present time of a disturbance in the Gulf of Mexico or the West Indics," snay the statement. "An area of low barometric pressure of great magnitude over the British Islawill move enstward, and cause stormy weather over Europe during the next several days.

"In the United States the temperature during the week will average low, for the season over practically all districts from the Rocky Mountains to the Atlantic Const. and there will be frosts on Monday in the interior of the Gulf States and in the Ohio Valley, and by Tuesday or Wednesday in the Middle Atlantic and clevated regions in the South Atlantic States.

"The precipitation for the week will be below the normal generally. There will be road or snow Monday in the region of the Great Lakes and rain Monday and possibly Monday night in the Middle Atlantic and New England States, followed by a change to colder weather in these districts Tuesday. The next general disturbance to cross the country will appear in the Northwest Tuesday or Wednesday, advence enstward over the Middle West Wednesday night or Thursday and the Eastern States about Friended by Joeal areas of precipitation, and he followed by a charge to considerably colder weather."

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Antonio, cut across the country to Rock Springs, and then follow the Texas and Pacific Railroad to El Paso. The latter plan will give him a prairie route, while by the former he will have mountain air currents to contend

HOME FOR MOTHER LODGE

BLACKS THREATEN DR. WILEY FAVORS TOWN OF COWETA

White Men Are Patrolling Streets and Guarding Homes.

TROOPS ORDERED RUSHI D TO SCENE

City Attorney Shot to Death and Two Others Dangerously Wounded Following Battle. Negro Later Is Killed by Mob-General Outbreak Seems Inevitable.

Coweta, Okla., October 22.-Ed. Suddeth, a negro, was shot to death tonight by a mob of citizens who had eats more sugar per head, and conarmed themselves, following a battle sumes more soap per head than any this afternoon between blacks and other country, then it is the greatest whites, in which Suddeth killed J. D. nation," declared Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, Chief of the government's Chemistry Bureau, in his address to-day to the Carmen Oliver and Stellar Thompson, National American Woman Suffrage

IN SESSION THIS WEEK

WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Aceded to Aid in Solution of Big American Problems.

GIVES REQUISITES F GREAT NATION

Tests He Names, Declares That United States Leads the World-Miss Mary Johnston Makes Suggestions for Improving the "Gate of Hell."

Louisville, Ky., October 22 .- "If country treats its women right, and

Poisoned Girl and Her Rich Rival

MISS ALVIS LINNELL, DEAD GIRL.



UNABLE TO FIND **IMPORTANT LINK** IN POISON CASE

Police Fail to Locate Receptacle Which Held Cyanide.

NOTHING HEARD FROM RICHESON

Morning Service at His Church Without Any Reference to Pastor's Plight-Direct Evidence That Miss Linnell Dined With Accused Man Day She Died.

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